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DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS
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ECJCJ 9-03927.

REFERENCES: A. JCS 2923, 16 JAN 62
B. BQD-EGU-1, 15 JAN 62

1. (S) COMMENTS ON REFERENCE B REQUESTED BY REFERENCE A FOLLOW:

A. UNLESS WE ARE PREPARED TO MAKE AND TO IMPLEMENT MILITARY PLANS FOR THE LIBERATION OF EAST GERMANY, IT IS NOT DESIRABLE TO SUPPORT AN EAST BERLIN AND/OR EAST GERMAN UPRISING. PLANS FOR MILITARY OPERATIONS OF THE MAGNITUDE NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH SUCH AN OBJECTIVE HAVE NOT BEEN PREPARED.

B. PARAGRAPHS 5 THROUGH 17, CONCUR.

C. PARAGRAPH 18, EXPANDED NON-NUCLEAR AIR OR GROUND OPERATIONS. CHANGE WORDS "EAST GERMANY" TO READ "EAST GERMANS". WITH THIS CHANGE, CONCUR IN STATEMENT.

D. PARAGRAPH 19, NUCLEAR OPERATIONS. IN EVENT NUCLEAR OPERATIONS EMPLOYED, IT LIKELY POLITICAL OBJECTIVES NO LONGER LIMITED TO RE-OPENING ACCESS. PROBABLE UNDER THIS CIRCUMSTANCE EAST GERMANS WOULD AT LEAST INFER INTENT WAS LIBERATION AND MIGHT REQUIRE POSITIVE MEASURES TO CONVINCE THEM OTHERWISE.

E. PARAGRAPHS 20 THROUGH 23, CONCUR.

F. PARAGRAPH 24, BERLIN. SUPPORT OF AN EAST GERMAN UPRISING FROM THIS LOCATION COULD RESULT IN INVASION WEST BERLIN. AS WESTERN SECTORS SURROUNDED BY SUPERIOR OPPOSING FORCES BERLIN NOT FEASIBLE AS OVERT SUPPORT BASE.

G. PARAGRAPHS 25 AND 26, CONCUR.

2. SCPA

ACTION: JCS J5-2

DISTR: CJCS-2, D/JS-3, S/JCS-3, J2-1, J3-4, J4-3, J6-3,
CIIIC-1, JWR-1, JWRA-1, JSSC-1, RRA-1, SEC DEF-5,
WHITE HOUSE-2
CNO, CSAF, CMC, DCSOP

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